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Atty. Docket: NISHIMOTO 8 In re Application of: Conf. No.: 5587 Tomoyuki NISHIMOTO et al.) Art Unit: 1609 Appln. No.: 10/565,083) Examiner: Jonathan S. Lau Filed: January 18, 2006 Washington, D.C.) For: $3-\alpha$ -GLYCOSYL July 11, 2008) α , α -TREHALOSES...

REPLY: AMENDMENT AND REMARKS

Honorable Commissioner for Patents U.S. Patent and Trademark Office Customer Service Window Randolph Building, Mail Stop **AF** 401 Dulany Street Alexandria, VA 22314

Sir:

Replying to the Office Action mailed March 14, 2008, for which a one-month extension of time to respond is hereby requested, please amend as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.